

THE BOY SIX GOES ON HIS FIRST ADVENTURE ALONE TODAY

Valuable Proposition Because Blood and Money Are Being Invested in Him—War for Freedom Waged for His Sake

THIS prayer is not being offered for all over Philadelphia today, it is for one boy.

Dear Lord, I sent my first-born forth today. He is just six. He was born, Lord, I didn't want to let him go. It seems just yesterday I put him in short clothes and had the porch gate closed.

But he went, dear God, his little warm hand tucked under his chin, hair slicked and eyes like twin blue stars—hair and boy-baby dreams all mixed up in the shine of them.

Oh, if you're giving gifts today to little boys who start out on the first adventure—little boys with pique suits and smiling lips, little chaps all fair and clean, and sweet just as when they first came from your hand; if you're giving gifts today, please give mine these:

The wish to know why stars are, where you are, how bridges are built, the love of good clean play and enough of the wish and the love to last him all life through.

The will to have the courage to be just himself.

The heart to help the little fellow up that's down.

Enough of kicks and blows to make a man of him.

And if there's gifts left over for the mothers, dear Lord for me, just this: In some kind way to back my arms, if weakening, they should open wide and try to crush him back to babyland!

AND, oh, how precious are Little-Boys, the mother of the man of twenty-one will tell you today. And how valuable are these particular Little-Boys, the thinking mind will add. Thous-

CONSIDER MARMOSET, YOU COOING SWEETHEARTS, AND LEARN REAL POSSIBILITIES OF TRUE LOVE



Passion of Venus and Platonism of Urania Can Be Driven in Double Harness, Says Prof. Guy Henry Walters, Langhorne Sage, but Not in Just Those Words

By M'LISS  
"Find a man who can be true to his mate, who can love her devotedly and who at the same time can manage to have a pure, unadulterated, platonic affection for another woman, and you find the praying mantis."

psychologist, and a follower of the late William James, devotes his energies each year to some great form of research that should benefit mankind for all time. Last season you might have found him in the garden trying to graft a peapod onion on to the royal rose. The year before that he had his ear to the ground in an endeavor to decipher the litany of the praying mantis. And once upon a time he had the hunch that oak trees could be made to grow to Mars or heaven.

But because the human affection is coming to bear the aspects of degenerating, the professor has dropped every interest to consider the problem of elevating the most ancient emotion.

"I should like to see man capable of acquiring the love-bird's attitude toward love," the professor said, regarding the two little green-feathered beings who had their heads together in the tenderest fashion. "I can put a beautiful cockatoo parrot in their cage and the male love-bird will pay her all sorts of platonic attention. He will kiss her and help her in her bathing by assisting in the ruffling of her feathers. The female love-bird is undisturbed. She has no doubts as to her mate's affections. She does not suspect him of philandering. She is broodminded.

"Love-birds never have divorces. If the male love-bird is separated from the female and not permitted for some time to sit with her and her caress and coo with her, he dies of a broken heart. That is the reason his platonic affections do not disturb her."

The professor declared that his discovery about the kiss is yet in their incipient stages, but at the end of the season perhaps, just before he prepares to take up the question of what the katydid in regard to mating has to say, he will have a formula for the perfect kiss as it should be kissed.

Vyvettes



A crescent-shaped black velvet piece, tacked straight across the front of a crown. On the curve sit eight little pompons all in a row, of varying sizes. The largest ones on top and in the center.

sands of drops of blood are being invested in them, billions of dollars and the master minds of nations are working for them and the millions of little men like them that sleep in posterity.

For after all, you see, it is probably not for you, probably not for me, that the world is being made safe for democracy. But surely it is for the little pluke army that started out on the first adventure today.

A RANDOM thought floats in and makes one wonder just what went into the prayer that was offered up for Kaiser Bill when he slipped out of babyhood and spent his first day at "school."

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

Letters and questions submitted to this department must be written on one side of the paper only and signed with the name of the writer. Special queries like those given below are invited. It is necessary to indicate the writer's name and address in all communications for this department should be addressed as follows: THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE, Evening Ledger, Philadelphia, Pa.

TODAY'S INQUIRIES

- 1. What will prevent fruit and vegetables from spoiling in the preserving kettle?
2. What frequently causes the neck of a hot-water bottle to leak?
3. What will prevent a fountain pen from leaking?

ANSWERS TO SATURDAY'S INQUIRIES

- 1. There are 131 calories in an average portion of corned beef and 457 calories in an average portion of roast beef. This makes the portion of roast beef over twice as nutritious as the portion of corned beef.
2. It is unwise to cover shelves with white enamel cloth because this material is porous and harbors bacteria.
3. Baking is cooking in a closely-covered pot or pan with a little steam or water. It is in reality cooking by means of steam.

A Scorched Pink Crepe De Chine

Dear Madam—Will you kindly tell me how to take a scorch stain out of a pale pink crepe de chine waist?
An application of hydrogen peroxide will also scorch stains out of silk. Potassium permanganate followed by sulphuric acid will also remove them. I am sorry to say, however, that with the removal of the scorch stains the color of the waist is apt to be injured. If you find that this is true, why not fade the waste white or dip it in red dye?

Taking Musty Taste From Syrup

Dear Madam—Will you please tell me if simple syrup which tastes musty from mold can be used to make candy?
A syrup authority tells me that thorough boiling should have taken away the musty taste. As a next treatment he advises adding a one-fourth proportion of rock candy sugar syrup. Add the syrup gradually, tasting occasionally to see that the one-fourth proportion is not too strong. A less amount, the syrup man said, might take away the musty taste, while it is possible that more than that quantity might be required to do the work. The syrup man recommended that you not vouch for it as being reliable, but as well worth trying. It was suggested, too, that possibly your syrup is going through a state of fermentation and will eventually become sweet through doctored. No harm can come from using the syrup even in its musty condition.

Cornmeal Dumplings

Dear Madam—Can you advise me what to do with cornmeal dumplings that are cooked but do not rise?
Marian Harland gives the following recipe for cornmeal dumplings: Take for four persons a quart of milk, stir in three cups of Indian meal, or enough to make a stiff dough. Cook for five minutes, stirring from the bottom. Take from the fire and add a tablespoonful of salt and let it get perfectly cold. Then add three eggs, beaten light, with two tablespoonfuls of sugar, and, lastly, a tablespoonful of flour sifted through a sieve with half a tablespoonful of baking powder. Make out into balls the size of an egg. Four your hands, wrap in clean muslin, and boil in salted water for fifteen minutes. Dip into cold water and a second, turn out and eat with hard sauce.

Rusted Gas Range

Dear Madam—Can you advise me what to do with a gas range that is rusted and has a hole in the top?
If the top of the stove is taken apart and the rusted parts soaked in a nearly saturated solution of chloride of tin from ten to fourteen hours, then removed, washed, dried and thoroughly lacquered, it should have no trouble with rust.

Reason for Man's Rejection

Dear Madam—Please advise me where I can find a man who is willing to be rejected. I am a woman and I am tired of being rejected. I would like to know the reason for a man's rejection in a different matter. The military authorities would not disclose information about the man's affairs to a stranger, or, in fact, to any one to whom the information was not lawfully necessary. The newspapers have been publishing each day a list of the men accepted and rejected for the draft army. Some have printed under a general head the reasons for the

ROUT 1000 N. Y. PACIFISTS

U. S. Marshal Disperses Mass-Meeting Expecting to Hear Emma Goldman

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Nearly 1000 "conscientious objectors" to conscription were dispersed last night by United States Marshal McCarthy and a squad of deputies. The pacifists attended a mass-meeting in an East Broadway hall. Emma Goldman was to have been one of the speakers. Max Sonnenschein, a coworker of Alexander Berkman, was addressing the crowd and had appealed for funds when McCarthy appeared. While the ushers were taking a collection the marshal ordered that the meeting be ended.

Old Jewelry Asked for Red Cross

GLOUCESTER CITY, N. J., Sept. 10.—The Gloucester Chapter of the American Red Cross Society has appointed a committee, consisting of Mrs. Harlan S. Miner, Mrs. Howard Lyon and Mrs. Charles H. Fowler, to form a Treasury and Trunk Club, the purpose of which will be to have the residents of the city collect all their old jewelry and give, in single inform, to the Red Cross. The jewelry thus collected will be resold to jewelers and the funds used for Red Cross work.

PATSY KILDARE, OUTLAW

By JUDD MORTIMER LEWIS

At the Hospital  
"For cat's sake, why not?" She said, "It would not be right." I said, "That's so. He has got to sleep so he can do his night watching. But where are you going?" Then I found out that she really did not know where she was going. Isn't that just before Miss Groarty came downstairs and washed her face and then came to me looking peachy. After I had done my face she brushed my beautiful hair and we got breakfast. It was all ready when my father came home from his night watching and he cried and said that she would never be a mother and would never kiss me and would always sleep upstairs. My father said it was sure he could trust her to look out for the big knife and soon he can't I said, "I'll make her any sleep! But she doesn't have to kiss me or sleep with me if she doesn't want to, for I still have Rowdy and he is my best friend."

IN THE MOMENT'S MODES

One-Piece Frock of Fawn-Color Broadcloth



The one-piece frock of soft finish woolen cloth which has been so popular during the summer is to have its vogue carried over into cooler days. The material is fawn-color broadcloth which has a feature that distinguished the one-piece frock of the now ending summer, appears destined to distinguish the one-piece frock of the fall. The material is fawn-color broadcloth which has a feature that distinguished the one-piece frock of the now ending summer, appears destined to distinguish the one-piece frock of the fall. The material is fawn-color broadcloth which has a feature that distinguished the one-piece frock of the now ending summer, appears destined to distinguish the one-piece frock of the fall.

GOOD HEALTH QUESTION BOX

By JOHN HARVEY KELLOGG, M. D., LL. D.  
In answer to health questions, Doctor Kellogg in this space will daily give advice on preventive medicine, but in no case will he take the risk of making diagnosis or prescribing for individuals. Health questions will be answered in the next issue of the magazine.

Sun-Stroke

THE affection known as sun-stroke is produced not only by exposure to the sun's rays, but by exposure to great heat from any source. Persons employed in glass works, laundries and in similar occupations are subject to sun-stroke or heat-stroke as well as those who are exposed to the sun's rays. It generally occurs also in persons who have been debilitated by great fatigue or who have ceased to perspire. Sun-stroke is much more frequent in persons who are addicted to alcoholic stimulants than in others.

White Matter in Corners of Eyes

What is the cause of white matter in the corners of the eyes? Should this be corrected? The appearance of a discharge in the eyes is always an indication of some abnormal condition. This is frequently the result of inflammation of the eyelids and may be due to overuse of the eyes or to irritating substances getting into the eyes. In any case it should be corrected, and there is any suspicion of defective vision, you should consult a competent oculist. An eye wash consisting of a saturated solution of boric acid can be used two or three times a day with benefit. It is also well to bathe the eye several times a day with hot water.

Potassium Permanganate

Should tablets of potassium permanganate be taken internally? No. Permanganate of potash is a poison, a disinfectant.

Constipation—Worry

Is constipation the cause of worry? Could worry affect the heart? Constipation is at the root of so many difficulties that it can easily be the cause of your particular affliction. It could only indirectly influence the heart, but it does directly influence all the other functions of the body to a certain extent. The best thing for you to do would be to overcome the constipation by a careful regulation of the diet and habits of life and to rid the system as much as possible of the poisons accumulated there.

Dizziness

Does dizziness of rushing of blood to the head require an operation? Could it be cured? Dizziness is usually due to an increase of the circulation or to too high blood pressure and is not due to blood clots. A blood clot can be located only by the symptoms and not by an X-ray. This dizziness is more than likely the result of autointoxication and should be combated by careful attention to the condition of the bowels.

"MA" SUNDAY'S INTIMATE TALKS

The wife of the famous evangelist discusses everyday topics in a helpful and wholesome way.

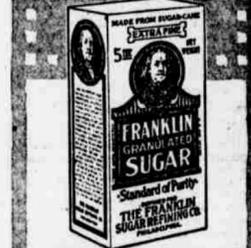
Are the Women to Blame?

WE ARE always hearing discussions on the subject of the so-called double standard of morals for men and women. Nearly every woman's magazine I pick up nowadays has an article treating the topic in some way.

Forget her dress. They weren't interested in clothes when they came under the hypnotic influence of her smile.

Why can't more women realize this? They lay too much emphasis on the artificial and not enough on the things that really count. The extent of the single standard of morals for men and women rests just as much with the women as it does with the men. They will have to do their part. And one of the first things they will have to do will be to correct the so-called prevailing fashions of dress.

Wednesday—Brighten the corner where you are.



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"MA" SUNDAY

"I am a good girl, Mrs. Sunday," said my young friend, "and all of my young friends are proud of me. I was at once called good, without any qualifications. But something my brother said not long ago has made me do some serious thinking. He prides himself on the fact that he has kept himself as pure in every way as he expects the girl to be who may some day be his wife. It is a matter of sacred duty with him. But he says the young men today is due just as much to the girls; that is, the way most of them dress before, but I am wondering if he is right."

"For instance, he says," she continued, "whenever he goes he sees women in thin net or silk waists that show bare arms and bare shoulders; that their skirts are short and light and that it seems to be the style to wear silk stockings with pronounced stripes or embroidery. He says that he doesn't go around looking for these things; that a young man doesn't have to; but they are forced upon him. He tells me that no matter how much he may respect a girl it is respect that is respected when she dresses in a way that calls attention always and everywhere to her physical charms. And yet I know few women realize the thoughts in the minds of those who see them when they dress as many of them seem always to do. What do you think?"

"I think you are largely right, my dear," I told her. Women nowadays are claiming an equal place with men in the world of work and business. They are proving, most that they are the equals, and better, in a great many cases, of men when it comes to doing the big things of life.

I would far rather see a woman doing her day's work in garden or shop in overalls, which are far more modest and even more womanly, than I would to see her in some of these so-called Paris creations of the ballroom.

And yet I know many women would hesitate to be seen in a street in overalls when they take it as a matter of course to dance in public in sheer, thin gowns that are far more indecent in every way. Of course, they don't realize what they are doing, most of them; at least, I like to think they don't.

A woman's prerogative, even her duty to her sex, is to make herself as attractive as possible. But why not make her character attractive by emphasizing her femininity in a wholesome sweetness of deed and disposition?

The most attractive woman I ever knew—equally as attractive to men as to women—was a girl with a peculiarly winning smile, a smile that simply radiated joy. Her face and made her soul shine through. Her gowns could have been duplicated at any ready-to-wear department of a dry goods store.

But her wonderful smile made every one

Advertisement for Fleck Bros. Co. featuring a menu for 'Tomorrow's Wax Menu' and a list of food items like Tuna Fish Salad, Quick Mayonnaise, and Cornmeal Muffins.

Large advertisement for Franklin Sugar, emphasizing the need to preserve fruit and the benefits of Franklin Sugar for various uses.